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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
HIDEKI KUBOTA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: OH, T.V.
SERIAL NO: 10/561,838 :
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FOR: HETEROCYCLIC METHYL :
SULFONE DERIVATIVE

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 2, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.